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Imports of Agricultural Seeds

Admitted into the United States under the Federal Seed Act

Kind of seed	August		July 1, 1940 to	July 1, 1939 to
	1940	1939	August 31, 1940	August 31, 1939
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Alfalfa.....		140,800		180,000
Bean, Mung(1).....	258,600		(2) 411,600	
Bentgrass(3).....		1,200	(4) 2,400	23,300
Bluegrass, Canada.....		2,300		2,300
Bluegrass, rough(3).....		2,200	(5) 500	2,200
Brome, smooth.....	4,300	100	(6) 34,300	59,600
Clover, alsike.....	200		(6) 200	
Clover, crimson.....		2,388,000		2,492,000
Clover, red.....	200		(6) 200	
Clover, white.....		67,800	(7) 1,000	123,400
Fescue, Chewings(3).....		4,600	(4) 50,500	175,900
Fescue, meadow.....		4,400		4,400
Fescue, other(3).....		100	(7) 2,300	100
Grass, Bahia(3).....	500	400	(8) 500	900
Grass, Bermuda(3).....	200		(9) 200	
Grass, Dallis(3).....		6,000	(10) 36,700	55,200
Grass, Guinea(3).....		10,800		20,600
Grass, molasses(3).....		40,500		40,500
Grass, orchard.....		800	(4) 1,000	3,100
Grass, rescue(3).....	33,100	100	(11) 33,100	200
Grass, Rhodes(3).....	5,200	20,000	(10) 30,200	20,000
Grass, velvet(3).....		3,500	(4) 2,100	3,500
Kudzu(3).....		5,000	(12) 1,200	5,000
Lupine(3).....	33,700		(11) 33,700	
Mixtures, grass.....		600		2,000
Oat(13).....			(6) 100	
Pea, field(1).....			(14) 300	
Rape, winter.....	180,000	360,900	(12) 240,000	695,900
Ryegrass, Italian.....		400		400
Ryegrass, perennial.....		31,800		68,200
Sourclover(3).....				35,000
Sweetclover(3).....	1,500		(6) 1,500	80,100
Timothy.....		100		100
Vetch, hairy.....	27,000	644,900	(12) 27,000	1,623,600
Wheatgrass, crested(3)....	100		(6) 300	
Wheatgrass, slender(3)....			(6) 1,100	
Total.....	544,600	3,737,300	912,000	5,717,500

- (1) Subject to Federal Seed Act effective February 5, 1940;
not tabulated prior to that date.
- (2) 413, 700 pounds from Hong Kong (361,600 pounds of Chinese origin);
4,100 pounds from China; 3,800 pounds from Japan.
- (3) Subject to Federal Seed Act effective February 5, 1940.
- (4) From New Zealand.
- (5) From Denmark.
- (6) From Canada.
- (7) From Hungary.
- (8) From Cuba.
- (9) From China (American goods returned.)
- (10) From Australia.
- (11) From Argentina.
- (12) From Japan.
- (13) Not tabulated prior to February 5, 1940.
- (14) From Hong Kong (of Chinese origin).